Patent Attorney's Docket No. <u>031941-</u>089

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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

## **BOX PATENT APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Peter KRIENS</u> for <u>Method and System</u> for <u>Communication</u>.

- [] Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
- [] Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure \_ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent.

Also enclosed are:

- [X] \_4\_ sheet(s) of [X] formal [] informal drawing(s);
- [X] a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 [X] is hereby made to Application No. 9904841-5 filed in Sweden on December 29, 1999;

[X] in the declaration;

- [X] a certified copy of the priority document;
- [X] an Assignment document;
- [X] Other: a Preliminary Amendment.
- [X] An [X] executed [] unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) [X] also is enclosed [] will follow.
- [X] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to Application No. 9904841-5 filed in Swden on December 29, 1999; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

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Basic Application Fee (101)					\$ 710.00
Total Claims	20	MINUS 20 =	0	x \$18 = (103)	.00
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